



Celebrating the First Annual 2005 Green Port Open House in Long Beach

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Save the date . . .

2nd Annual Green Port Open House to be Held October 7

Save the date! Enjoy environmental presentations, free harbor boat tours, entertainment, food and lots of fun for children as the Port of Long Beach hosts its second annual Green Port Open House on Saturday, October 7, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm in front of the Port Administration Building, 925 Harbor Plaza.

The Open House will showcase the Port's wide-ranging Green Port Policy environmental protection programs – with a special focus on the new Clean Air Action Plan. Featuring exhibits, booths, displays and demonstrations, the Open House will provide an interactive opportunity for the public to learn

about the Port's groundbreaking Green Port Policy – a sweeping framework for how the Port is addressing environmental impacts and changing the very way it does business.



On the free 45-minute harbor cruises, visitors will see many of the Port's environmental programs in action. The Open House will highlight sustainability programs such as conservation or recycling efforts that the public can implement at home. For more information, visit www.polb.com, or call 590.4121.

Long Beach's Oil Platforms on Exhibit at University Art Museum

Fantasy Islands: Landscaping Long Beach's Oil Platforms, an exhibition on the design and landscaping of the oil-drilling platforms built from 1965-68 in the Long Beach Harbor, will be on dis-

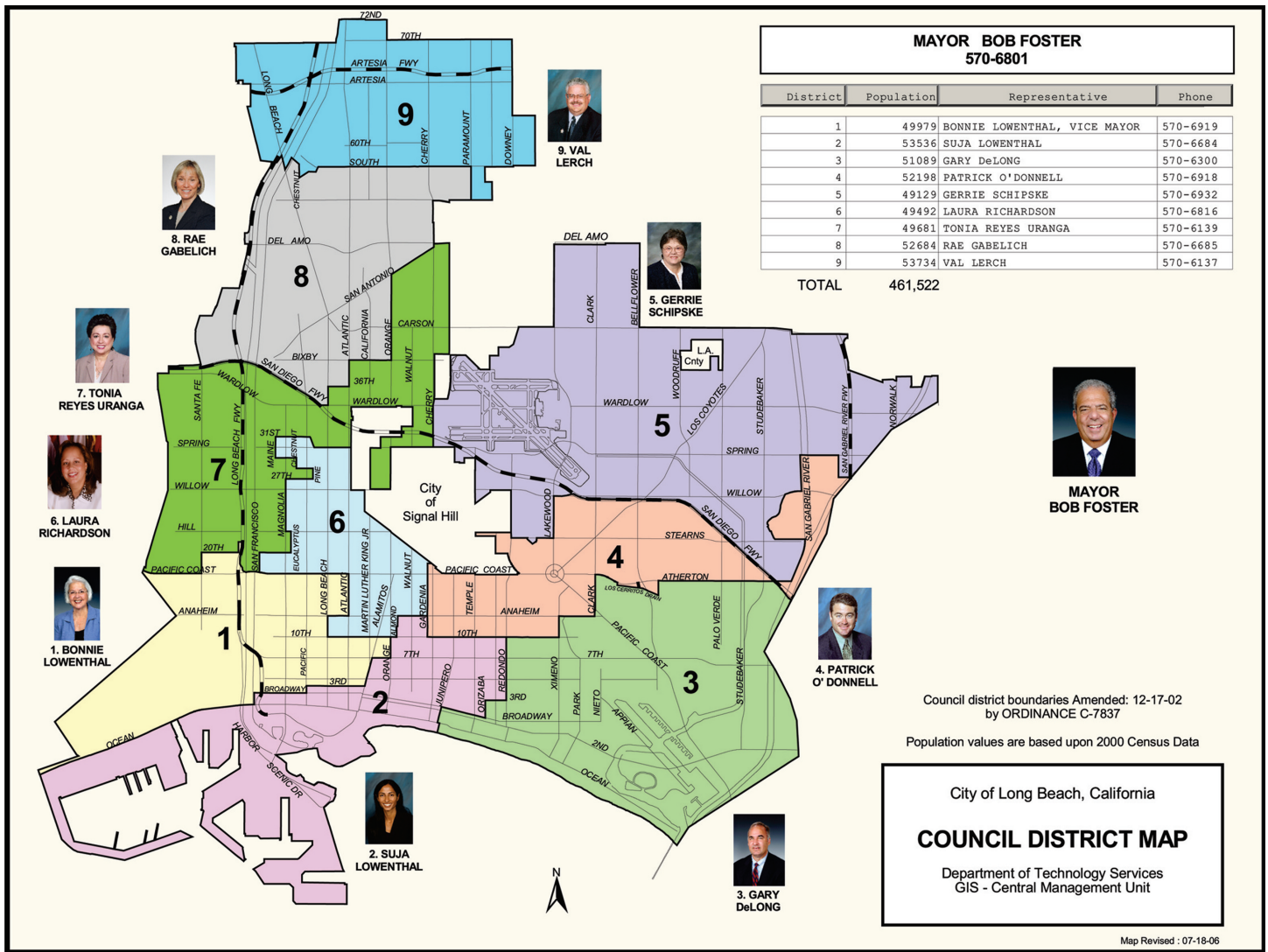
play at the University Art Museum at California State University Long Beach until October 15. Showcasing historic original drawings and period photographs by landscape architect Joseph Linesch (1924-1996) who envisioned the transformation of Long Beach into the *Riviera of the West*, the exhibition also includes contemporary color images by Los Angeles photographer Soo Kim.

To complement the exhibit, a tour of the oil island off the coast of Bluff Park will be held on September 16, sponsored by THUMS/Oxy Company of Long Beach, and the City of Long Beach. Call 985.4299 for reservations or visit www.csulb.edu/uam.



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Run the Beach

The city's scenic ocean skyline and streets will be the backdrop for the 22nd Annual Long Beach International City Bank Marathon on October 15. If you'd like to run or to volunteer, visit www.runlongbeach.com.

Diversity is Our Strength

Celebrate *Cultural Diversity Month* in Long Beach, a time to acknowledge different experiences, traditions, and creative talents within the city's multicultural community. Participate in the Celebration of Diversity event at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 14 at Martin Luther King Park. For other events, visit www.longbeach.gov.



OCTOBER is Arts Month

Arts and Culture in Long Beach

Arts Council for Long Beach presents *October is Arts Month* in Long Beach. More than 50 arts-related events will take place in the city. How will you celebrate? Visit www.artslb.org



litterfreeLB tip #4

Watch your wrapper

Don't allow any wrappers, from gum to hamburgers, to blow, fall or be left on the ground.

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Long Beach: we like it litter free.
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